

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: ETHICON, INC.,
PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEMS
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL NO. 2327

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE CASES
ON THE EXHIBITS ATTACHED HERETO

ORDER

(Dismissing Defendant American Medical Systems, Inc. with Prejudice)

Pending in MDL 2327, 2:12-md-2327 [ECF No. 2871], is a Joint Motion to Dismiss Defendant American Medical Systems, Inc. with Prejudice filed by plaintiffs, identified on the attached Exhibits A-P, and American Medical Systems, Inc. (“AMS”) seeking dismissal of AMS from these actions with prejudice because all claims between them have been compromised and settled, including all claims, counterclaims, cross-claims and third party claims. Other defendants remain in these actions, and plaintiffs will continue to prosecute these actions against them. After careful consideration, it is **ORDERED** that the Joint Motion to Dismiss AMS with Prejudice is **GRANTED**.

The court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in 2:12-md-2327 and in the individual cases listed on the attached Exhibits A-P.

ENTER: November 30, 2016



JOSEPH R. GOODWIN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

EXHIBIT A – AYLSTOCK, WITKIN, KREIS & OVERHOLTZ, PLLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:14-CV-07418 | Nancy Ruth Budde v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-07634 | Pamela Joan Bell v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-07796 | Patricia E. Ash v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT B – DOUGLAS & LONDON, P.C.

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:14-CV-22838 | Diane Sylven, Steven Sylven v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT C – DUGAN LAW FIRM, LLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:12-CV-06395 | Margaret Kerley v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT D – HARRISON DAVIS STEAKLEY MORRISON, P.C.

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:14-CV-26086 | Linda H. Turner v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT E – HEARD ROBINS CLOUD LLP

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-10319 | Betty A. James, Joseph James v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc., C. R. Bard, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-28161 | DyAnne L. Barksdale, Michael H. Barksdale v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-28163 | Bonnie Seratt v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-20385 | Sandra Jackson, Rudolph Jackson v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT F – HERMAN, HERMAN AND KATZ, LLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:12-CV-02092 | Gwendolyn M. Olivier, Armand Olivier v. Johnson & Johnson, Ethicon, Inc., American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT G – KLINE & SPECTER, P.C.

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-25272 | Susan Casperson, Robert Casperson v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT H – MILLER WEISBROD

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-04330 | Linda H. Medeiros v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-20788 | Bunny Lee Maxwell v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-26894 | Nancy Tulenko v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-15499 | Carol S. Carter v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT I – NASTLAW LLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-18007 | Maureen Rich v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT J – NEMEROFF LAW FIRM

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:14-CV-26236 | Ramona J. Lemaster, Marvin Lemaster v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT K – SMITH STAG, LLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:12-CV-04233 | Martha Turner, Walter Turner v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT L – THE NATIONS LAW FIRM

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:12-CV-02753 | Lillie L. Brewer, Daniel Brewer v. Johnson & Johnson, Ethicon, Inc., American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-04605 | Barbara A. Smith, Robert L. Smith Sr. v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT M – THE POTTS LAW FIRM

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:12-CV-03572 | Janet Bowling, Robert Bowling v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:12-CV-06645 | Tambrea Holden, Timothy L. Holden v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-05811 | Michelle Spencer v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-07532 | Grace Wesenberg, Kenneth Wesenberg v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT N – VERHINE & VERHINE PLLC

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-00270 | Grace B. Dyrud, Keith Dyrud v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-30948 | Dawn K. Wright, Timothy L. Wright v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:14-CV-11539 | Margie Timms, Clarence Timms v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT O – WATTS GUERRA CRAFT

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-15138 | Rosalinda Barrera v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |

EXHIBIT P – WILLIAMS KHERKLER HART BOUNDAS, LLP

| CIVIL ACTION NUMBER (listed numerically in ascending order) | CASE NAME |
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| 2:13-CV-13729 | Faith Moreno, Victor Moreno v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc. |
| 2:13-CV-22162 | Delores Harris, Jack Patrick v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc., Boston Scientific Corporation |
| 2:13-CV-27933 | Christina Yolanda Phillips, Daniel Phillips v. Ethicon, Inc., Johnson & Johnson, American Medical Systems, Inc., C. R. Bard, Inc. |